



BOOKS AND MORE BOOKS—Miss Brigette Sigel of Bietigheim, Germany, spends a get-acquainted session with her American school books. An exchange student, sponsored by the Church of the Brethren, Miss Sigel will attend North High School this September and will stay with Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Tilley of 4757 Towers St. during her year here.

German Churches Not Social, Fraulein Says

Church kitchens and collection plates seem strange to Miss Brigette Sigel, 18, of Bietigheim, Germany. Miss Sigel, whose second day in Torrance included a visit Sunday to the church that is sponsoring her studies was surprised at the social activities of the churches here.

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Huge Parish Pot Luck Dinner to Feature Foreign Favorites

Tables will groan with international cuisine when St. Catherine Laboure Parish, 3846 Redondo Beach Blvd., holds its International Pot Luck Dinner Aug. 8 at 6 p.m.

For an admission price of \$1 for adults and 50c for children and a double recipe of the family's favorite dish, guests will be able to sample fare from all over the world.

Representative dishes from nearly every European and Latin American country are already on the list, according to Mrs. Lars Holt, in charge of arrangements.

Proceeds from the dinner will benefit the missions supported by the church. The benefit mission work is carried on by a group of women from St. Catherine Laboure Parish known as the Mission Circle.

The Circle No. 106 helps support missionaries in Ecuador, Canada and Arizona. The majority of the natives in Ecuador were originally Africans, with the two missionaries being Italian. In Canada the lone Franciscan missionary serves a group of Navajo Indians.

All wishing to contribute food specialties to the benefit pot-luck may contact Mrs. Holt at DA 9-3103. She reports that more than 300 dishes are already expected.

Three of the specialties that will be found at the affair will be prepared by Mmes. Erich Schuster, Harry Thompson and Vincent Marlette, parishoners.

Mrs. Schuster's family favorite is Wiener Schnitzel. Here is the way she prepares it. 1 lb. veal steak 1 egg, beaten bread crumbs shortening lemon slices and parsley. Pound, salt and pepper the veal steak and cut into pieces. Dip in the beaten egg, roll in bread crumbs and fry in fat until a golden brown, about 15 or 20 minutes.

Miss Sigel, who speaks perfect English is here under the sponsorship of the International Christian Youth Exchange program of the Church of the Brethren. The money for her fare was raised by the youth of the church.

Chosen as one of 11 students out of 164 who applied for American study, Miss Sigel, doesn't regret postponing her own graduation by a year for the chance to see California.

"All of the exchange students want to come to the west coast," she explains, "we know it so well from the movies."

As a senior at North High School Miss Sigel will live here with her foster parents for the year. Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Tilley of 4757 Towers St.

The Tilley family, which includes daughters Lynda, 10, and Elaine, 5, have exchanged letters with Miss Sigel since the first of June. "We felt that we knew her before she arrived," says Mrs. Tilley.

With her father a surgeon and her mother a former doctor, Miss Sigel states that she plans to enter the field of medicine or major in language.

LOMITA BUILDING A total of \$5,625,080 in building permits were issued by the Lomita office of the County Building Department during July.

Garnish with the lemon slices and parsley, and serve.

Bourguignon is the French favorite of the Thompson family. Mrs. Harry Thompson's instructions for preparing the dish, which will serve six, follows.

Cut two pounds of round or chuck in one-half inch pieces. Salt, pepper and flour and then brown in butter. Place the meat in a Dutch oven and pour 1 1/2 cups of red wine over the top. Add water to nearly cover.

Place parsley, thyme, bay leaf and mushroom peelings in a Bouquet Garni (cheesecloth). Lay the Garni on top of the meat and cook for two hours. Brown a pound of mushrooms and one-half pound of onions in butter. Add a glass of brandy and pour over the meat. Continue cooking for an additional hour and serve.

Kolacky Czech pastry is the specialty of Mrs. Vincent Marlette. Her recipe for Kolacky follows.

Scald 1 cup of milk, take off the stove and add 1 cup of cold

water, 1/2 cup sugar and 1 tablespoon of butter or oleo plus one tablespoon of salt.

Stir until dissolved and cool the mixture to lukewarm.

Now dissolve 2 compressed yeast cakes in one-fourth cup of lukewarm water. Combine the two mixtures and add 3 eggs and approximately 3 cups of flour.

The dough should form a nice sponge. Beat hard and then add 4 additional cups of flour, stirring to make a fairly soft dough. Form the dough into ball and place in a greased dish. Let the mixture stand in a warm place for one-half hour.

The dough is then ready to form into Kolacky as follows.

Divide the dough into four parts. Roll each part gently and cut into 12 squares. Fill with prune filling and pinch together. Let rise for two hours and bake in a 350 degree oven.

The filling is prepared by cooking a pound of prunes until tender. They are then pitted and ground, and sugar, vanilla and cinnamon added to taste.



CHAMPAGNE PARTY—Members of the Torrance Chapter City of Hope, from left, Mmes. Wallace W. Howe, corresponding secretary; Sol Young, assistant ways and means, and Walter West, president, hold a pre-planning session for the chapter's August 22 cocktail party. Final plans for the benefit will be made at Monday's meeting.

Champagne Party for City of Hope Chapter

Champagne cocktail party plans will take the floor at Monday's meeting of the Torrance Chapter of the City of Hope.

The benefit cocktail party will be held August 22, according to hostess Mrs. Edward Schwartz of 3244 El Dorado St.

Members of the chapter attending the planning session will bring their own lunches to the 12 noon get-together set for the Schwartz home. Mrs. Schwartz will serve coffee.

The City of Hope is a free and nonsectarian National Medical Center dedicated and devoted to the patient care, treatment, research and medical education in the catastrophic diseases, cancer, leukemia, tuberculosis and heart disorders amenable to surgery.

It is the aim of the Torrance Chapter to seek and transmit funds to further the work of the hospital.

Interested persons are invited to attend the meeting. Further information of the chapter may be obtained by calling Mrs. Walter West, DA 6-2827.

Get Acquainted Pot-luck Set by Local Court

A get-acquainted pot luck party for husbands is announced by Court St. Catherine Catholic Daughters of America.

The potluck will be held August 21 at the Nichols Ranch, 25-226 Tamden Way, Walteria, according to Mrs. Paul McDonald, committee chairman for the month.

Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. with dancing and swimming to follow. The affair will benefit the camp for girls at Teresa Pines, maintained by Catholic Courts of this area.

Committee members working on the pot luck benefit are: Mmes. Edward Winklebauer, Robert Klaesges, Harold De Wan, George Shelton, Robert Lowellen, Jr. and William Luciani.

Mrs. Clancy to Preside at CDA Institute

Mrs. Edwin A. Clancy, state regent of the Catholic Daughters of America, will preside at the Western Sectional Junior Institute in Pasadena on Aug. 6-9 and will also officially welcome three new appointees to the extension and public relations programs during her visit in Southern California.

Mrs. Lyle E. Peters of Redondo Beach and a member of Court Our Lady of Victory No. 1344 has been named Los Angeles Archdiocesan Chairman of Extension; Mrs. Catherine Salamon of Lancaster, affiliated with Court Our Lady of the Desert No. 1629, will serve as extension chairman for Antelope Valley comprising Palmdale, Rosemont,



POT LUCK GOURMET STYLE, from left, Mmes. Marilyn Thompson, Rose Marlette, Gladys Holt and Therese Schuster take a peek at a chafing dish treat planned for the International Pot Luck Dinner at St. Catherine Laboure Parish, 3846 Redondo Beach Blvd., Saturday at 6 p.m.

'Dear Ruth' Casting Is Completed

Casting for "Dear Ruth" the first play of the Footlight Theater of North Torrance has been completed, announces Herman Goodman, director.

Debbie and Darr Geer, husband and wife, will carry their real life roles to the stage in the leading roles. Pat and Barbara Bennett, mother and daughter, Iona and Jim Claxton, Jack Sparber, Irene Conry and Lou Verne will have supporting roles.

The group is now in the process of blocking in the scenes with rehearsals held every Monday evening at 8 p.m. at the Edison Elementary School.

Backstage roles such as stage-crew, make-up, electrician and music positions are still open, announces Mrs. Goodman, who may be contacted at DA 9-5338.

Chairmen Ratified at Special Meet

A special meeting to ratify chairmen for the coming year was held by Mrs. Newell Larson, president of the Torrance Lions Club, July 31, at her home, 16710 Faysmith Ave.

Ratified for the coming year were Mmes. Abe Robinson, membership; Pete Radisch, hostess; Ralph Morris and Al Isen, telephone; Milton Isbell, auditor; Rollin Smith, sunshine, and Albert Ewalt, publicity.

The club, open to wives of Torrance Lions Club members, meets the first and third Tuesday of each month.

70-Mile, 7-Day Boy Scout Hike Is Completed

Blisters were plentiful but morale good when Boy Scouts of Troop No. 315 made their recent 70 mile, seven-day Golden Arrow-head Hike.

The boys and their parents held a picnic at Forrest Home, Redlands prior to the hike which began at Dollar Lake and ended at Big Horn Boy Scout Camp.

Four ten mile practice hikes were held to prepare the scouts for the hike. The boys carried all provisions and bedding on their backs provisioning only once at Big Bear Lake.

Their diet of dehydrated food was broken only once when they caught enough fish at Big Bear Lake to feed them.

One boy dropped out from altitude and was replaced by another who was sick and couldn't leave with the boys at the start. The longest hike in any one day was over 20 miles.

Scouts participating were Fred Bose, Gerald Brady, Leon Carpenter Jr., Norman Casson, David Deniz, Edward Foster, Roland Goldsmith, William Polick, Danny Rickard, Mike Rogow, Kenneth Shattuck, Richie Smith, Donald Turner, James Turner, Gary Wilkinson, John Erickson, Charles Pavlu, Gary Rickard, Jeff Waters, and part way, Dennis Casson, Mike Corey.

Adults who accompanied the boys were Homer Foster, Pete Corey, Leon Carpenter, and part way, Norm Rickard.

Local Artists to Show at L. A. Art Festival

Torrance artists Gene Bruno, Marian Cummings, Vicki Feldon, Edythe Kerr, Allan Scharf, and Dale Sexton, will be exhibiting as part of the group with the Artist's Co-op Gallery at the Seventh Annual Barnsdall Park All-City Art Festival in Los Angeles.

The newly opened gallery at 121 S. Pacific Avenue in Redondo Beach, is run on a co-operative basis by the artist members. Many artists in the South Bay area, who had no way to exhibit and market their work, together formed a producers' marketing co-operative using the California citrus-growers marketing co-operatives as the basis for their organization.

Art-work of all types is on display at the gallery; oils, water colors, caseins, prints, drawings, jewelry, sculpture. Gallery hours are especially arranged for evening browsing, Tuesday to Friday from 5 to 9 p.m., and from 1 to 9 on Saturday and Sunday. An artist is always in attendance at the gallery, carrying through the gallery philosophy of "the artist to you."



ART FESTIVAL—Loading up the station wagon (from left) local Artists Marion Cummings, Vicki Feldon, Dale Sexton and Edythe Kerr see their paintings off to the seventh annual Barnsdall Park Art Festival. The artists, members of the Artists' Co-op Gallery, are exhibiting as a group.

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